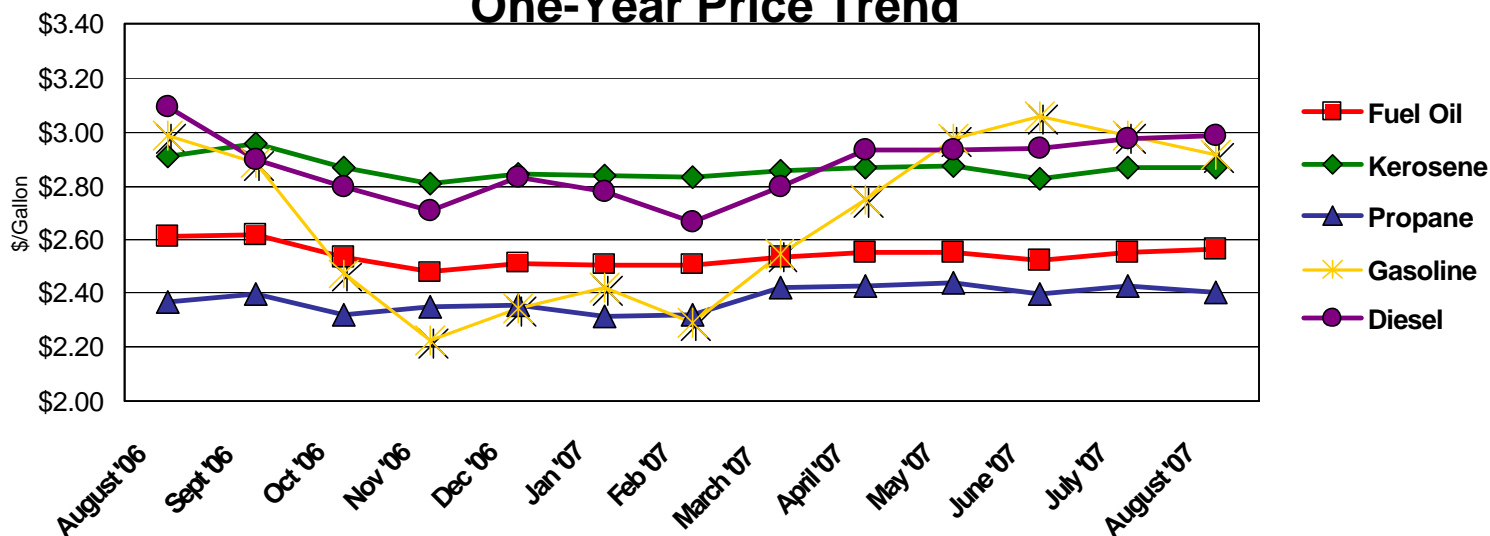


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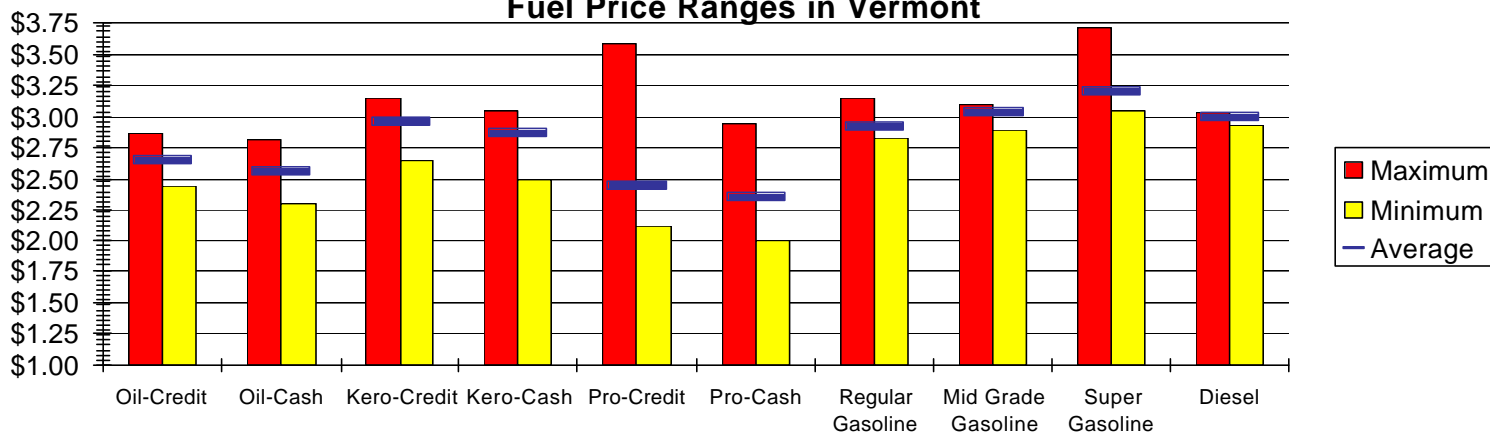
## One-Year Price Trend



## Vermont Average Retail Petroleum Prices (per gallon)

	August '07	July '07	%change	August '06	%change
No. 2 Fuel Oil	\$2.57	\$2.55	0.50%	\$2.61	-1.83%
Kerosene	\$2.87	\$2.87	0.11%	\$2.91	-1.30%
Propane	\$2.40	\$2.42	-0.99%	\$2.36	1.53%
Reg. Unleaded Gasoline	\$2.92	\$2.99	-2.40%	\$2.99	-2.43%
Diesel	\$2.99	\$2.98	0.47%	\$3.10	-3.44%

## Fuel Price Ranges in Vermont



## Gasoline and Diesel Prices

The Energy Information Administration (EIA) has reported that as of August 6th (which is when the VT fuel survey was conducted) the national average retail price of regular gasoline had decreased to \$2.84 per gallon, which is the lowest price since April. The New England average price was \$2.89 per gallon. As of August 13th the national average price dropped further to \$2.77 per gallon and the New England average price dropped to \$2.83 per gallon.

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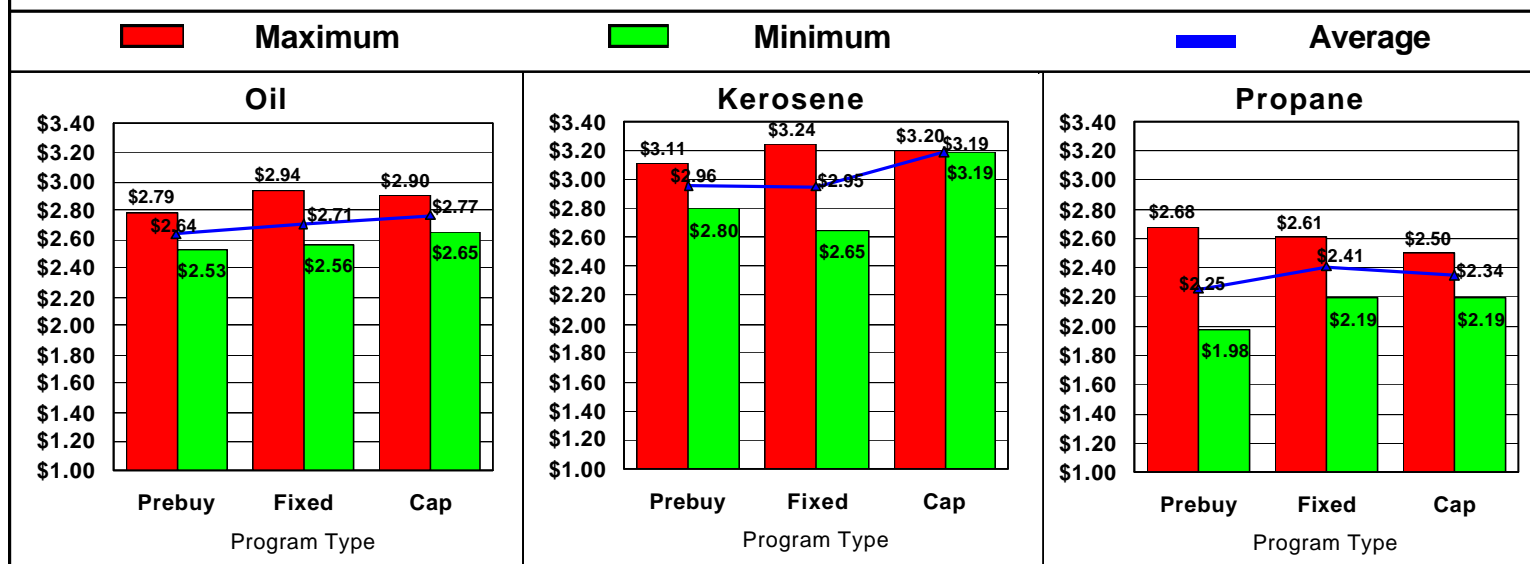
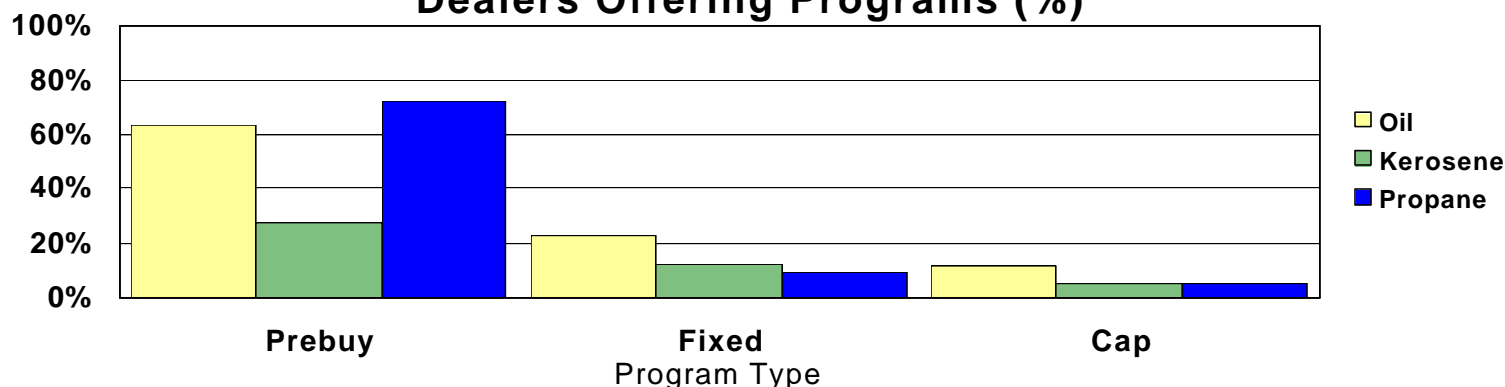
**Gasoline and Diesel Prices - continued**

As of August 6th, the national average retail price of diesel was \$2.90 per gallon and the New England average price was \$2.96 per gallon. On August 13th the national average price decreased to \$2.85 per gallon and the New England average price decreased to \$2.92 per gallon.

**Price Protection Programs**

The charts below show the availability and price per gallon for price protection programs as of **August 6th**, from a representative sample (approximately 70) Vermont fuel dealers. Many dealers that issued programs at the end of July and the first week of August indicated that their programs had already sold out.

The average heating oil price for prebuy programs is down by 6 cents from last August and kerosene is down by 8 cents from last year. The average price for propane prebuy programs have increased by 16 cents from this time last year.

**Dealers Offering Programs (%)**

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